

RE my notes from WQ EcyEPA meeting.txt

From: Labiosa, Rochelle
Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2017 1:14 PM
To: Mann, Laurie; Chung, Angela; Guzzo, Lindsay
Subject: RE: my notes from WQ Ecy/EPA meeting

Hi Laurie,

Lindsay and I discussed the meeting with Angela - do you know if there is a phone/webinar option? My understanding is that since Ben and one other person are attending, we won't participate in person, but if there is a phone option, it would be great to listen in.

Thanks, Rochelle

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The Nutrient effort is being lead by Dustin Bilhimer. There's a listserv you can be part of that will automatically include you in future communications from Ecology - the link is at the bottom of this page.
http://www.ecy.wa.gov/puget_sound/reducing-nutrients.html

Ben and Chris Zell are planning to attend the July 19th meeting (I'll be on A/L), and I'm guessing that some folks from the Puget Sound will also be in attendance.

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Hi Rochelle and Lindsay,
A little more info on the PPA manager meeting last week. I forgot to mention that Ecology is working on a "Nutrient Reduction Strategy for Puget Sound." I forget the name of the Ecology guy who is the lead - I believe Derek? I think Laurie Mann knows him. Anyhow, he is hosting a meeting on July 19 (somewhere south of Seattle) and they have asked for EPA to participate and provide

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input. I am cc'ing Laurie because she was at the PPA manager meeting and I think she is going to coordinate internally and make sure we have at least one if not more folks attend. So if you are interested in attending, please touch base with her.

The only other thing re the last item below is that one of the PPA commenters was NWEA.

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Hi Everyone - Thank you all for the meeting on Wednesday. It was very helpful to be able to discuss cross-program issues together as a group with Ecology. So thank you again for making the slog down to Lacey. (Next year we get to host.)

Here is what I captured as follow-ups:

1. NPDES - ready to issue PQR. MOA is moving forward and needs to stay on a tight timeline to be completed by end of federal fiscal year (Sept. 30th). Agreed to pull a cross-program sub-group together soon (next week or so) to discuss points in NWEA petition (about nutrients in Puget Sound) because it touches on so many programs and issues.
2. Nutrients - Ecy shared announcement about July 19th workshop and wants good attendance/input so share broadly (http://www.ecy.wa.gov/puget_sound/reducing-nutrients.html). Opportunities within the new Action Agenda structure to continue to address nutrients? EPA will follow-up internally.
3. Columbia River - EPA offered to do a ppt for Ecy/WDFW on cold water refuges.

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PAH map will be done by end of summer. EIS - Ecy is now a cooperating agency.

4. Nonpoint - 319/CZARA lawsuit - extension to June 23 requested for plaintiff response. EPA will look into getting participation from sister federal agencies (fed caucus, NRCS) on voluntary clean water guidance implementation workgroup.

5. PPA - 2 public comments received. On track for signing ceremony June 27 when Michelle Pirzadeh will be in Lacey.

Enjoy the weekend!

Michelle

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